

The Macic of Music

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October 12, 2024 OPENING NIGHT with CLAYTON STEPHENSON, 2022 International Cliburn Piano Competition Finalist

The ISO sets the stage for a magical season as it embarks on a musical journey of epic proportions. In celebration of the10th anniversary of "The Force Awakens" (Star Wars saga), the 40th anniversary of "Back to the Future," and the 100th anniversary of Gershwin's piano masterpiece - Piano concerto in F, you'll experience the perfect Opening Night concert!



November 9, 2024

A WESTERN SWING CELEBRATION featuring four-time Grammy nominee DAVE ALEXANDER

The ISO presents a musical celebration of traditions in a country western swing style with award-winning, Texas Western Swing Hall of Famer Dave Alexander and his band. ISO Board member Cathy Whiteman will be our guest narrator in a moving rendition of "Lincoln's Portrait" by American composer Aaron Copland. A little taste of America's music at its best.



December 14, 2024

HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS with renowned tenor, CHARLES BILLINGSLEY and Guest Conductor FILIPPO CIABATTI

The tradition continues with Irving's most popular Christmas musical event. The evening is full of the holiday spirit with everyone's favorite carols performed by the talented ISO musicians and Billingsley's magnetic stage presence, our beloved Irving Chorale, and an audience singalong. Fun for the whole family!



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February 22, 2025

THE BEST OF BROADWAY with Broadway superstar NORM LEWIS

The first concert of the New Year brings to the stage the incredible voice of Tony, Emmy, and SAG Award Nominee Norm Lewis. Mr. Lewis has performed in many noteworthy roles on both television and Broadway, making history as *The Phantom of the Opera's* first African American Phantom on Broadway. It's a night not to be missed!







March 22, 2025

DALLAS TREASURES / MUSIC OF THE WORLD (Chapter Two)

In its second version, this amazing concert brings to Irving the artistry of the Jagoda Dance Company (Poland), jazz percussionist Len Barnett and his ensemble, and our own ISO Concertmaster Ordabek Duissen. These musical treasures make our community ever so rich in cultural expression. Incredible talent!



April 12, 2025

GRAND FINALE with the sensational crossover music trio: TAKE3 – Where Rock Meets Bach!

TAKE3 lives at the intersection where Pop, Rock, and Classical fusion collide. Their unmistakable style and infectious joy in music-making bring these three fabulous musicians (violin, cello, and piano) to join the Irving Symphony! Performing everything from Bach to Beethoven to the Beatles, you'll be on your feet for this season finale to yet another outstanding season.